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June 1954

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed 4-11-74

Call letters W H H R

Station location Hilton Head Island
South Carolina

HILTON HEAD RADIO CORPORATION (ALH 8-13-80 EFF:

X HILTON HEAD RADIO CORPORATION (APH 7-3-73 EFF: 7-3-73

Name of licensee X JOHN J. HENRY AND DEYLE B. MEDLIN, A PARTNERSHIP

Transmitter location 0.35 MILE NORTH OF Sea Pine Circle, Hilton Head Island,
South Carolina (PH 8 2-72)

Main studio location Same as transmitter

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From To
BPH-7908 HAAT: 300' (H&V)	8-2-72	106.3mc #292	ERP: 3kw (H&V) CP for New FM Station		8-2-72
BPH-7908 (1)	11-13-72	Call letters assigned.			
EBSA	2-27-73				
BAPH-541	7-3-73	VOL APH	EFF:		
BLH-5879(L)	4-11-74	Lic. (BPH-7908, as mod.) - New			12-1-75
BRH-2899(L)	12-9-75		RENEWAL		12-1-78
BTCH781121EB	2-5-79	VOL. TC		EFF:	
BRH 780728 VM	11-14-78	(S)	REN. OF LIC.		12-1-81
BALH800714GT	8-13-80	Vol AL	EFF:		

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

106.3mhz

Call W H H R
Letters XNEW - FM

HILTON HEAD RADIO CORPORATION

Name John J. Henry and Delyle B. Medlin, a Partnership

Hilton Head Island, South Carolina (PO 5 North Sea Pines Dr., Hilton Head Island, S. C.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPH-7908 R & F #070294 \$100 CODE: 013 PRESS: PN REC'd:	5-3-72 5-5-72 5-5-72 MAY 19 1972 6-7-72	CP for New FM on: 106.3mc. #292 HAAT: 300' (h&v) ERP: 3kw(h&v) Trans: GATES-FM-3H3; Ant: GATES-FMC-3A, 3 sects.(h&v). T-SL: .35 mi. N. of Sea Pines Circle, Hilton Head Island, South Carolina 32° 09' 39" - 80° 45' 49" Atty - A. L. Stein Engr- Robert L. Purcell Exhibits 4C, 5 & 7 w/ref. to financial Data. & Community survey.	GRANTED req. grant fee \$900.00 Paid: 014, 9-5-72, W-105866	8-2-72
AMENDED	5-31-72			
BAPH-541 R & F FEE PD: \$250 #185703 CODE 054 (Form 316) MAY 31 1973	5-11-73 5-14-73	Voluntary assignment of CP(BPH-7908 - new station) to HILTON HEAD RADIO CORPORATION Atty - A.L. Stein Correction re shares of stock - filed 6-22-73	GRANTED EFF: 7-3-73	7-3-73

F. C. C. - WASHINGTON, D. C.

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

106.3mhz.

Call
Letters **W H H R**

Name **HILTON HEAD RADIO CORPORATION**
Hilton Head Island, South Carolina

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BLH-5879 R & F W 210111-\$50. AC-057 PTA PRESS	7-2-73 7-3-73 7-3-73 7-12-73 AUG 2 1973	Lic.(BPH-7908, as mod.) for New FM B/c Sta. T-SL: 5 North Sea Pines Drive, Hilton Head, S.C. - Transmitter: AEL, FM-2.5KD. Antenna: SHIVELY, 6813-3, 3-sects.	GRANTED	4-11-74
BRH-2899 R & F P. N. Rec'd Press	7-30-75 8-1-75 SEP 28 1975	Renewal of License.	GRANTED	12-9-75
BRH780728VM R & F PRESS	7-24-78 7-28-78 AUG 30 1978	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	11-14-78
BTCH 781121EB FORM 315 PRESS PN FILED 12-4-78	DEC 7 1978	Vol TC from John J. Henry, DeLyle B. Medlin and Issac W. Wilborn to Cordem, Inc. (SEE OVER) Atty - Dow, Lohnes & Albertson	GRANTED EFF: consummated	2-5-79 4-1-79 4-2-79

RE: BTCH/ED - Atty was called 12-6-78 - Table II incom-let
re dates; By laws not certified

AMENDED 1-3-79 re: Include Part I, Sec. I of transferor's
s portion with Barbara L. Yarid and Janet R. Henry, daugh-
ters of John Henry

AMENDED 1-24-79 re security agreement; financial data

AMENDED 1-29-79 re security agreement

APPLICATION RECORD-BROADCASTING

HILTON HEAD RADIO CORPORATION

Call Letters: WHHR

Name: ~~X~~Hilton Head Radio Corporation

Station Location: Hilton Head Island, South Carolina

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BALH800714GT Form 316 PRESS	AUG 7 1980	Voluntary assignment of license to Hilton Head Radio Corporation Atty Richard F. Swift	Granted 8-13-80 EFF:

About the History Cards ...

History Cards were first used by the Department of Commerce to keep track of applications filed by, and changes to, the earliest AM broadcast stations in the early 1920s. The records were subsequently transferred to the Federal Radio Commission in 1927, and after that to the Federal Communications Commission when that agency was created in 1934. These cards gradually grew into a large card file.

FM History Cards were initiated in the early 1940s, with the authorization of the earliest FM stations in the FM band, then at 42 to 50 MHz. (The band was shifted to its present location, 88 to 108 MHz, in 1946.) History Cards remained in use until the creation of the first computerized database in 1980 to track broadcast applications, the Broadcast Application Processing System (BAPS). However, the Commission did not transfer the data from the History Cards to the new system. Instead, it retained the History Cards in their original form for reference.

In 1999, the Commission moved to a new location (445 12th Street SW), and also at that time created the successor database to BAPS, the Consolidated DataBase System (CDBS). Prior to that move, the History Cards were transferred to microfiche by a contractor (only a few sets of microfiche exist), and the original paper cards were destroyed. The History Cards were stored on the microfiche as negative images, like those you see above.

History Cards contain very brief entries and notes about station facilities, applications, and ownership. They are not, and never were intended to be, a comprehensive record of a station's operations. Nevertheless, they can be useful to help determine, for example, when a station first went on the air and its call letters at that time. History Card comments were generally typed onto the cards, and thus some records will show more faintly or with more smudging than others, depending on the quality of typewriter and ribbon then used. Occasional handwritten comments, corrections, and strikeouts may also be found. Cards may be incomplete, missing, or occasionally out of sequence.

The History Cards are presented here as they were copied to microfiche, to preserve this record for public use, and with the hope that they will be of value to future researchers of radio station history.

